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(C) Poloff and Embassy of the United Kingdom Poloff on December 12 jointly conveyed reftel points and draft UN Security Council Resolution text to Ministry of Foreign Affairs Department of International Organizations UN Division Deputy Director Yao Shaojun. Yao said China "is guided by the wishes of the Iraqi government on this issue" and thus will support the draft resolution. RANDT